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REMARKS

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1. On 10 April 1952, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] the AA towers on the barracks installations near Magdeburg a short distance before the Elbe bridge were each occupied by one AA gun of about 20-mm caliber.

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2. [REDACTED] on 19 April, a train carrying 6 x 57-mm AT guns, about 15 medium mortars, about 5 jeeps, 20 to 30 trucks [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and about 250 EM was seen at the Wusternmark railroad station. The train proceeded toward Stendal and [REDACTED] was bound for Wolnirstedt (N 53/Y 61). \*

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3. A total of 10 JSU-152 guns [REDACTED] between 15 and 20 trucks, 1 field kitchen and between 150 and 180 soldiers were loaded in Burg (N 53/Y 81) at 4:30 p.m. on 19 April. The soldiers were loaded on 4 to 6 boxcars. \*\*\*

4. At 2 p.m. on 21 April, 2 x 37-mm AA guns, 4 caterpillar tractors, 10 trucks [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and ammunition boxes were loaded at the Potsdam (N 53/Z 63) freight station. Two officers who rode in jeep [REDACTED] supervised the loading. The ammunition boxes were loaded on a gondola car.

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5. At 9 a.m. on 21 April, about 150 soldiers, 2 x 152-mm gun howitzers, 8 x 122-mm field guns, 10 trucks [REDACTED] 11 caterpillar tractors [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and a trailer were loaded at the Potsdam railroad station. \*\*\*

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Comment. The train mentioned in paragraph 2 of the present report carried a unit of the 10th Gds Tank Div. On 18 April, [REDACTED] the loading of an AT artillery unit of the division which was believed to have moved to Letzing Heath. [REDACTED]

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[redacted] Comment. The loading operation mentioned in paragraph 3 of the present report was made by a tank company of the 136th Gds Iv Tank SP Regt of the Third Shock Army. The train was probably bound for Letzling Heath.

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[redacted] Comment. [redacted] the train mentioned in paragraph 4 which was loaded with units of the unidentified artillery division in Potsdam. The unit probably followed previous units to the Altengrabow artillery firing range. [redacted]

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